

**United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit**  
**Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse**  
**40 Foley Square**  
**New York, NY 10007**

**ROBERT A. KATZMANN**  
CHIEF JUDGE

**CATHERINE O'HAGAN WOLFE**  
CLERK OF COURT

**Distribution of Instructions & Forms for Pro Se / Prisoner Parties**

**Motion for COA Filed**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- How to Appeal a Habeas Petition
- How to Appeal as a Pro Se Party
- Form D-P
- T-1080 Form
- Financial Affidavit
- Certificate of Service
- Format Motion
- Format Brief
- Format Appendix
- Pro se Scheduling Notification

**COA Due**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- How to File a Habeas Corpus Petition
- How to Appeal as a Pro Se Party
- Form D-P
- T-1080 Form
- Financial Affidavit
- Certificate of Service
- Format Motion

**Motion for COA Granted**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- How to Appeal Your Civil Case
- How to Appeal as a Pro Se Party
- Form D-P
- T-1080 Form
- Financial Affidavit
- Certificate of Service
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**Federal Habeas Corpus 2241**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- How to File a Habeas Corpus Petition
- Form D-P
- T-1080 Form
- Financial Affidavit
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Format Appendix

Pro Se Scheduling Notification

**Civil rights Appeal (1983 or *Bivens*) Filed**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- How to Appeal Your Civil Case Instructions
- How to Appeal as a Pro Se Party
- How to File a ... Civil Rights Appeal  
Challenging the Prisoner's Detention
- Prisoner Authorization Notice
- Prisoner Authorization Form
- Form D-P
- T-1080 Form
- Financial Affidavit
- Certificate of Service
- Format Motion
- Format Brief
- Format Appendix
- Pro se Scheduling Notification

**Second/Successive Petition Filed**

- Acknowledgment and Notice of Appearance
- Docketing Notice
- Docket Report
- T-1080 Form
- How to Appeal as a Pro Se Party
- How to file a Habeas Corpus Petition
- Appropriate Application:(2254 or 2255)
- Certificate of Service